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**RE: MECHIN v. CARQUEST CORPORATION; et al.
Civil Action No.2:07-cv-05824-SDW-ES**

Dear Judge Salas:

As the Court is aware, we represent the Carquest defendants which is comprised of Carquest Corporation, Carquest Products, Inc., and BWP Distributors, Inc., with regard to the above matter.

It recently came to our attention that Voltec Industries settled their case with the plaintiff and that an Order was entered dismissing Voltec from the litigation. However, we must point out to the Court that the Carquest defendants have cross claims for contractual and common law indemnification, as well as cross claims for contribution pending against Voltec. Additionally, co-defendant TMC/TASCO also has cross claims against Voltec. We would ask Your Honor to issue an Order clarifying that any and all cross claims against Voltec have not been dismissed and are still viable in this litigation.

We thank you for your anticipated cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

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